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1. We have been informed by Major Andrews, Adjutant General's Office, Department of the Army, that [Redacted] was retired for physical disability and not for wounds received in combat.

2. Under applicable provisions of law, it is permissible to hire [Redacted] subject to provisions of the dual compensation statutes which will make it necessary for him to waive either his retirement pay or his CIA salary during the period of his employment by CIA.

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3. We regret the delay in answering which was caused by the necessity of the Adjutant General's Office formulating a policy as to whether or not it was proper for them to give us the information regarding [Redacted] retirement.

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Walter L. Pforzheimer

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